

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested, in view of the following remarks.

With respect to the section 103(a) rejections based on the Nakama, et al., Trimmer et al. or Potocki references, the Office points only teachings of F-dyes in the detergent compositions contained within the container. In clear contrast, claim 1 recites a package having a wall wherein the wall includes fluorescent dyes. Likewise, claim 8 recites a package wherein the label includes F-dyes. It is not apparent why one of ordinary skill would be led merely by the presence of F-dyes in a composition to put F-dyes in the wall of a bottle or in a label. Therefore, it is requested that the rejection be withdrawn.

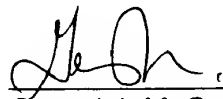
WO 97/26315 discloses a filled package of a tinted or untinted bottle containing a light duty liquid cleaning composition which is transparent and is colorless or slightly blue/green or slightly green/yellow. The Office points to no teaching in '315 of use of a F-dye in the walls of the bottle or in a label. Rather, where '315 talks of a fluorescent dye it seems always to be referring to the liquid composition rather than to the container. See, e.g., page 6, lines 16-17. Therefore, it would appear that '315 would not lead one of ordinary skill to the present invention and it is respectfully requested that the rejection be withdrawn.

As to the obviousness double patenting rejection, SN 09/212,982 has issued as US Patent No. 6,159,918. The Office points to no claim reciting the presence of F-dye in the wall of a bottle or in a label. Rather, in claim 2, the F-dye is recited to be present in the heavy duty liquid composition. As to the non-issued applications cited by the Office,

applicants are amenable to filing terminal disclaimers should claims be issued which would render obvious the inventions claimed herein.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the application, as amended, be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,



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